APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF DIVERSION, MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED

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The applicant Round Mountain Gold Corp, Homestake Nevada Corp, BaRGold Corp dba Smoky Valley Common Operation, hereby makes application for permission to change the point of diversion and place of use and manner of use of a portion of water heretofore appropriated under Permit 536

1. The source of water is Jefferson Creek, Slaughter House Creek, and Shoshone Creek
2. The amount of water to be changed 1.0 cfs
3. The water to be used for mining, domestic
4. The water heretofore permitted for mining, power, and domestic
5. The water is to be diverted at the following point SE¼ SE½ Sec 8, T10N, R44E, M.D.B.&M.
6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within at junction of Jefferson and Slaughter House Creek and on Shoshone Creek two miles east of town of Shoshone
7. Proposed place of use within Sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 21, and 22 T10N, R44E, M.D.B&M. (portions unsurveyed).
8. Existing place of use Not specifically listed in permit (issued in 1907).
9. Use will be from January 01 to December 31 of each year.
10. Use was permitted from January 01 to December 31 of each year.
11. Description of proposed works Water will be extracted utilizing a centrifugal pump with a 2-3" hose fitted with a screen filter on the intake end. Water will be pumped into a vehicle equipped with a steel tank and transported to the mining exploration and drilling location.
12. Estimated cost of works
13. Estimated time required to construct works No well construction required.
14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use One year.
15. Remarks: Mining exploration and drilling.
By s/Gina Myers P.O. BOX 480 ROUND MOUNTAIN, NV 89045
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APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This temporary permit to change the point of diversion and place of use of a portion of the waters of Jefferson, Slaughterhouse, and Shoshone Creek as heretofore granted under Permit 536 is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said Permit 536, and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. A measuring device must be installed and measurements of water use kept.

This temporary permit does not extend the permittee the right

of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

This temporary permit will allow the permittee to dewater the pit area.

The issuance of this temporary permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from the State, Federal and local agencies and is specifically issued contingent upon approval by the Nevada Division of Environmental

Protection of the dewatering project.

The total combined duty of water for consumptive purposes under Permits 536; 1077, Certificate 267; 2908, Certificate 353; 3898, Certificate 2347; 12442, Certificate 3831; 12445, Certificate 3832; 12768, Certificate 3751; 14119, Certificate 4889; 26650, Certificate 13904; 26652, Certificate 13905; 44297; 44299; 44300, Certificate 13174; 50971; 51577, Certificate 13185; 51578, Certificate 13186; 53365; 55498; 55500; 55501; 55502; 55503; 59217; 59218; 60874; 60875; 60876; 65175-T; 65176-T; 65177-T; 65178-T; 65660-T; 65661-T; 65662-T; 65663-T; 65871-T; 65872-T; 65873-T; 65874-T, and Temporary Permit 66240-T will not exceed 13,910.0 acre-feet annually.

The estimate of the amount of water diverted from this source

shall be submitted with the monthly report.

The State Engineer retains the right to impose future conditions as necessary upon review and evaluation of all data submitted reporting on the dewatering program, water use and the monitoring plan. The State Engineer retains the right herein authorized to protect the public interest and existing rights.

All of the above stated conditions are issued subject having no adverse impacts on existing rights.

This temporary permit is issued pursuant to the provisions of NRS 533.345 Section 2 and will expire on **June 14, 2001** at which time all rights herein granted shall revert to the right being changed by this temporary permit. (CONTINUED ON PAGE 3)

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The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed $\underline{1.0}$ cubic feet per second.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before:

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before:

Water must be placed to beneficial use on or before:

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set

my hand and the seal of my office,

this 15th day 9

EXPIRED DATE SUN 1 4 2001

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